

**APPLICATION DATA SHEET****Application Information**

Application number::

Filing Date::

Application Type:: Regular

Subject Matter:: Utility

Suggested classification::

Suggested Group Art Unit::

CD-ROM or CD-R?:: None

Number of CD disks::

Number of copies of CDs::

Sequence submission?::

Computer Readable Form (CRF)?:: No

Number of copies of CRF::

Title :: OPTICAL RECORDING MEDIUM

Attorney Docket Number:: 890050.454

Request for Early Publication?:: No

Request for Non-Publication?:: No

Suggested Drawing Figure::

Total Drawing Sheets:: 10

Small Entity?:: No

Petition included?:: No

Petition Type::

Licensed U.S. Gov't Agency::

Contract or Grant No::

Secrecy Order in Parent Appl.?:: No

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**Domestic Priority Information**

| Application :: | Continuity Type:: | Parent Application:: | Parent Filing Date:: |
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**Foreign Priority Information**

| Country:: | Application number:: | Filing Date:: | Priority Claimed:: |
|-----------|----------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Japan     | 2003-1753            | 01/08/03      | Yes                |
| Japan     | 2003-344865          | 10/02/03      | Yes                |
| Japan     | 2003-344866          | 10/02/03      | Yes                |
| Japan     | 2003-398737          | 11/28/03      | Yes                |
| Japan     | 2003-398736          | 11/28/03      | Yes                |

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